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This issue contains Postal Diplomacy Games:

*Won by Alan Huff, playing RHOVANION! (Three down & 45 to go....)

FIRST CLASS MAIL

PCA (Variant-Regular Game #3) -- COUP IN ENGLAND AS KING MAZOR DISAPPEARS!

The Players, Rules & Board -- Monte Zelazny is now playing ENGLAND in place of John Mazor. Our thanks to Naus, McIntyre, Schelz, and Turner for their offers.

AUTUMN, 1911 retreat -- TUR (Harrison): A Rum (R) Sev.

WINTER, 1911 builds/removals -- ENG (Zelazny): (B) A Edi; TUR: (E) F Bla.

Positions at end of W'11 -- ENG: A's Mar, Ber, Lvn, StP, Edi, Yor; F's Iri, EnC, Spa(SC), Naf, Tun, Pic, NtS, Kie, Bal (16); FRA (Huff): A Bur (1); ITA (Latimer): A's Pie, Ser, Bul, Bud, Rum, Gal, Sil, Mun; F's Ion, Smy, Con, Tyn, Lyo (13); TUR: A's Ank, Sev, Ukr, War (4).

GM Note -- It is with very heavy heart that we have replaced a player with so many supply centers at so late a stage in the game; if John Mazor contacts us before the August 6 deadline, we will consider his reinstatement at the helm of ENGLAND. So PCA players check DPBA #32; if no word appears there, Zelazny is permanently in ENG.

Deadline for SPRING, 1912 moves -- Noon, Mon., Aug. 19.

PHC (Regular Diplomacy Game #2) -- TRIPARTITE ALLIANCE SLOWS TURKISH ADVANCE!

SPRING, 1909 moves --

ENG (Hoheisel) -- F NtS (C) A Bre-Nwy; F EnC (C) A Bre-Nwy; A Bre-Nwy; A Hol-Kie; A Den (S) A Hol-Kie; A Ruh (S) A Hol-Kie; F Bel-Hol; F Bal-Bot; F StP(SC) (H) (D (Fin, o.b.)).

FRA (Huff) -- A Tri (S) A Pie-Tyo (A Tri (A)); A Pie-Tyo; A Tus-Pie; A Mun (S) A Kie-Ber; A Kie-Ber; A Par-Bre; F Tyn-Ion; F Tun (S) F Tyn-Ion; F Lyo-Tyn.

ITA (Lebling) -- F Nap (S) FRA F Tyn-Ion; F Rom-Tus; A Ven (S) FRA A Pie-Tyo.

TUR (Greene) -- A Lvn-StP; A Mos (S) A Lvn-StP; A War-Pru; A Sil (S) A War-Pru; A Rum-Bud; A Boh-Vie; F Gre-Alb; A Tyo (S) ITA A Ven (A Tyo D (Boh or o.b.)); F Ion-Tyn (D (Gre, EMe, o.b.)); F Aeg-Ion; A Ser-Tri; F Adr (S) A Ser-Tri.

Propaganda -- London -- Viva La France!

Deadline for SUMMER '09 retreats (ENG: F StP(SC); TUR: A Tyo, F Ion) -- Tues., August 13 (if F'09 moves are not sent in with SUM retreats, F09 deadline will be 8/27).

PJC (Regular Diplomacy Game #4) -- AUSTRIAN ARMY BUDAPEST CONTINUES TO WITHSTAND RUSSIAN SIEGE AS GERMANY LEND ITS SUPPORT!

The Players -- Replacement still needed for ENGLAND; if interested, contact GM NLT 19 August.

SPRING, 1908 moves --

A-H (Huff) -- A Bud (H).

ENG (Open) -- F Bar (U); F Den (U).

FRA (Lebling) -- A Ruh-Bur; A Pic-Bel; F NtS-Hel; F EnC-NtS; F Nwy (S) F EnC-NtS; F Nwg (S) F EnC-NtS; A Fin (S) F Nwy; A Tun-Alb; F Ion (C) A Tun-Alb; F Tyn (S) F Ion.

GER (Latimer) -- A Vie (S) A-H A Bud; A Ber-Kie.

ITA (Koning) -- F Apu-Adr; F Nap-Apu; A Ven (S) F Tri; F Tri (S) F Apu-Adr.

RUS (Munroe) -- A StP-Nwy; A Mos-Lvn; A Gal-Bud; A Ser (S) A Gal-Bud; A War-Sil; A Mun-Tyo; F Hol-Bel; A Kie-Mun; F Rum (H).

TUR (Bryant) -- A Con-Bul; A Gre (S) A Con-Bul; F Adr-Tri (A); F EMe-Ion; F Aeg (S) F EMe-Ion.

Deadline for FALL '08 moves (no SUM retreats) -- Noon, Mon., Aug. 19.

PKC (Regular Diplomacy Game #5) -- GENERALS TAKE OVER IN RUSSIA AS TSAR OVERSTAYS VACATION! RETREATING RUSSIAN ARMY DROWNS IN BALTIC!

The Players -- George Schelz is now playing RUSSIA in place of John Mazor.

SUMMER, 1907 retreats -- RUS (Schelz): (E) A Pru; A Lvn (R) War.

Deadline for FALL '07 moves -- Noon, Tues., August 13.

PNC (Regular Diplomacy Game #7) -- LAST RUSSIAN UNIT REGROUPS TO CONTINUE THE FIGHT!

SUMMER, 1906 retreat -- RUS (Schelz): F Sev (R) Arm.
Deadline for F'06 moves -- Noon, Tues., August 13.

POC (Regular Diplomacy Game #8) -- TURKEY PREPARES TO FIGHT ITS LAST FIGHT!

SUMMER, 1906 retreats -- FRA (Naus): A Mar (R) Gas; TUR (Bischoff): A Smy (R)
Syr; F Ank (R) Bla.
Deadline for F'06 moves -- Noon, Tues., 13 Aug.

PQC (Regular Diplomacy Game #10) -- ENGLISH MONARCH RETURNS FROM SELF-IMPOSED EXILE
 TO RALLY HIS NATION IN ITS DARKEST HOUR!

SUMMER, 1905 retreat -- ENG (Bischoff): F Lvp (R) Iri.
Deadline for F'05 moves -- Noon, Tues., 13 Aug.

PTC (Regular Diplomacy Game #13) -- FRANCE, GERMANY IN CLOSE RACE FOR SUPREMACY OF
 EUROPE!

AUTUMN, 1903 retreats -- TUR (Schelz): A Sev (R) Arm.
WINTER, 1903 builds -- ENG (Tretick): (E) F Yor; (E) F Ska; FRA (Zelazny): (B)
F Bre; (B) F Mar; GER (Halle): (B) F Kie; (B) A Ber; (B) A Mun; RUS (Houghton):
NMR; stands pat; TUR: (E) F Bla.
Positions at end of W'03 -- A-H (Reiter): A Rum (1); ENG: F Hel (1); FRA: A's
Gas, Wal, Lon; F's Mar, EnC, Bre, Lvp, Nwg (8); GER: A's Mun, Ven, Tri, Vie, Bud,
Den, Ber; F's Hol, Kie (9); ITA (Maloney): A's Ser, Gre, Smy; F's EMe, Ion, Adr (6);
RUS: A's Sev, Ukr; F's Swe, Nwy (4 -- 2 short next year); TUR: A's Bul, Arm; F Aeg (3).
Deadline for SPRING, 1904 moves -- Noon, Mon., 19 August.

PWC (Regular Diplomacy Game #16) -- LAST AUSTRIAN UNIT STILL INTACT TAKES TO HILLS
 OF ALBANIA!

SUMMER, 1903 retreats -- A-H (Huff): A Ser (R) Alb; FRA (Prosnitz): A Bur (R) Mar.
Deadline for FALL, 1903 moves -- Noon, Tues., Aug. 13.

PXC (Regular Diplomacy Game #17) -- ANARCHY IN AUSTRIA? FRENCH UNITS GO ON STRIKE,
 REFUSE TO FIGHT!

The Players -- Replacement needed for A-H (Mazor); if interested, contact GM
 NLT 13 August.

SPRING, 1903 moves --
A-H (Mazor??) -- A Vie (U).
ENG (Bischoff) -- F Hel-NtS; A Nwy (S) GER F Swe; F Edi (H); F Nwg (S) A Nwy.
FRA (Zumstein) -- A Gas (U); A Par (U); A Mar (U); F Lyo (U); F WMe (U).
GER (Reiter) -- A Ber-Sil; A Mun-Boh; A War-Ukr; A Lvn (S) ENG A Nwy-StP (ENG A Nwy
 not so ordered) (A Lvn D (Pru, War, o.b.)); A Den (S) F Swe; F Kie-Bal; F Swe (S)
 F Kie-Bal; F Hol (H).
ITA (Beyerlein) -- A Ven-Tyo; A Pie-Mar; F Tun (S) TUR F Ion-Tyn.
RUS (Price) -- F Ank-Bla; A Tri-Bud; A Sev (S) A Mos; A StP-Lvn; A Mos (S) A StP-
 Lvn; F Bot (S) A StP-Lvn; A Fin-StP.
TUR (Hueston) -- F Nap-Rom; F Ion-Tyn; A Ser-Tri; A Gre-Alb; F Smy-EMe; F Con-Gre
 (impossible).

Propaganda -- Dave: Dick: Sorry, I meant Skag to Hel.

Deadline for SUM '03 retreat (GER: A Lvn) -- Noon, Tues., Aug. 13.

PYC (Regular Diplomacy Game #18) -- NEW GOVERNMENT TAKES OVER IN FRANCE!

The Players -- No word from Nemeth, so Hal Naus is now playing FRANCE.

AUTUMN, 1902 retreats -- FRA: F Mid (R) Spa(SC); GER (Tretick): NMR; GM (E) Retreating F Kie.

WINTER, 1902 builds/removals -- ENG (Rosamilia): (B) F Lon; FRA: (B) F Bre; (B) A Par; GER: (E) A Ruh; OOG; RUS (R.Johnson): (B) A War; TUR (Levinson): (B) F Smy.

Positions at end of W'02 -- A-H (Scholti): A's Vie, Bud; F Tri (3); ENG: A Den; F's Mid, EnC, Hol, Lon, Iri (5); FRA: A's Par, Bel, Pic, Por; F's Spa(SC), Bre (6); GER: None; OOG; ITA (Reiter): A's Tyo, Mun, Ven; F's Adr, Ion (5); RUS: A's Rum, Gal, Boh, Sil, War, Kie; F's Bal, Bla (8); TUR: A's Con, Gre, Ser; F's EMe, Aeg, Smy (6).

GM Note -- Thanks also to McIntyre and Schelz for sending in repl. moves for FRA.

Propaganda --

Antwerp -- For the past several weeks, French troops crossing the frontier into Belgium were greeted by cryptic signs reading "Welcome to Belgium, the Philadelphia of Europe -- signed the British First Fleet". The sullen, but sober, Belgians -- at least the men and children who were in evidence -- appeared most reluctant to discuss the meaning of the signs.

London -- Special from Buckingham Palace -- a spokesman for His Britannic Majesty indicated that arrangements had been attempted to present a decoration to Admiral (now retired) Sir Julian Smythe-Barrellaz for "exceptional services to the crown". However, the spokesman admitted not having been able to contact the Admiral as communications appear to have been broken between London and the Admiral's country estate.

Sublime Porte, Constantinople (Jan. 23) -- H.I.M. Linda I, in her coronation message as Queen of Serbia, announced that all nationalistic groups in the Empire would be suppressed. The divisional groups that caused the downfall of Germany and are now contributing to the defeat of Austria constitute a clear and present danger to the freedom of the Empire. The rights of minorities as individuals and in matters of religion has not been and will not be interfered with by H.I.M.'s government. However, no books, save prayer and language books, may be printed in any language but New Turkish, which is Turkish in a phonetic alphabet devised in 1896 by the Imperial Academy. This law will, of course, be gradually brought into effect, with primers coming under the law immediately. By 1915, it is expected, all citizens will speak and read Turkish. -- by Ahmed ibn Mohammed, for H.I.M. Linda I

Remainder of propaganda (datelined "London", "Walsall, Staffordshire", and "Rjuvik, Iceland"), deferred until end of this issue or DPBA #32, whichever space permits.

Deadline for SPRING, 1903 moves -- Noon, Mon., Aug. 19.

PZC (Regular Diplomacy Game #19) -- COUP RUMORED IN RUSSIA! DIPLOMATS SIT TIGHT FOR OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION BEFORE ACTING!

The Players -- Linn Haramis and other players take note: Michael McIntyre will take over RUSSIA eff. FALL, 1902, unless Linn gets his moves in on time (Aug. 13).

SUMMER, 1902 retreats -- A-H (Gemignani; moves made by Stand-by player IAW General Orders on file with GM): A Vie (R) Boh; FRA (Reiter): A Bel (R) Ruh.

Propaganda --

Whitehall -- Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman today told of talks between the governments of Russia, Austria-Hungary, Italy, and France. As Sir Henry put it, "The European Powers want to drag out the European gameboard again and play that time-honored game, Sickman of Europe. It appears at this time that Austria-Hungary and Germany are both 'it!'"

Remainder ("Kent", "Munich") deferred to end of this ish or DPBA #32, as space allows.

Deadline for FALL, 1902 moves -- Noon, Tues., Aug. 13.

DBB (Economic Diplomacy I) -- TURKEY HEADS TOWARDS ITALY AS ALLIANCES UNDERGO SHIFT!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See DPSA #'s 1,4-6,15, & DPBA #27.

SPR, 1907 moves --

ENG (Huff) -- F EnC-Mid (2); F Lon-EnC (1); F Por (H) (0); F Edi-Yor (1).

FRA (Linden) -- A Kie (S) F Hol (D (Ruh, o.b.)) (4); A Hol (S) F Kie (D (Hel, o.b.)) (4); A Par-Pic (1); A Bre-Pic (1).

ITA (Brannan) -- F Naf-Mid (2); F Spa(SC) (S) F Naf-Mid (2); F WMe (S) F Naf-Mid (1); A Mar-Bur (1); A Ven-Tyo (1); A Tri-Vie (1); F Ion-Tun (1); F Adr-Ion (1); Pay \$25 to TURKEY.

RUS (Kuch) -- A Sev-Ukr (1); A Mos (S) F Bla-Sev (1); A StP-Nwy (1); A War (S) A Sev-Ukr (1); F Bla-Sev (1); A Ber-Kie (2); A Den (H) (0); A Mun (S) A Ber-Kie (2); F Bel (S) F NtS-Hol (2); F Ska-NtS (1); F NtS-Hol (2).

TUR (Clark) -- A Ukr-Gal (1); A Rum-Bud (1); A Ser (S) A Rum-Bud (1); F Gre (S) F Con-Aeg (1); F Con-Aeg (1); F Ank-Con (1); F Smy-Eme (1).

Financial Situation at end of SPRING, 1907 --

Country	ENG	FRA	ITA	RUS	TUR
On hand at end of W'06 .	£107 pd	£267 fr	£164 li	£50 ro	£59 pi
Unopposed move costs ...	-2	-2	-5	-4	-5
Unused support costs ...	-	-	-1	-2	-2
Battle costs	-2	-8	-4	-8	-
"Gift"	-	-	-25	-	£25
On hand at end of Sp06 .	£103 pd	£257 fr	£129 li	£36 ro	£77 pi

Propaganda --

St. Petersburg -- Constantinople: I got out of the Black Sea and got you out of Ukr.
Let there now be peace.

St. Pete -- London: For your past cooperation, name your price.

Deadline for SUM '07 retreats (FRA: A Kie, A Hol) -- Noon, Tues., Aug. 13.

DDF (Miller Nine-Man Diplomacy) -- COUP IN THE UNITED KINGDOM! AUSTRIA, IBERIA LIE DORMANT AS THEIR COMMUNICATIONS ARE CUT!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See DPSA's # 1,4,7,9,10,14, & BARAD-DUR #46. George Schelz is taking over U.K. from Bischoff, eff. SUM '07. Replacement still needed for TURKEY; if interested, contact GM NLT 13 Aug.

SPRING, 1907 moves --

A-H (Mebane) -- A Brl (U) (A); A Boh (U); A Mun (U) (A); A Tyo (U); A Vie (U); A Bud (U); A Trs (U); A Sal (U); A Sev (U); A Mos (U); F Adr (U); F Nap (U); F Rom (U).

GER (Latimer) -- A StP-Mos; A Pol-Brl; A Pru (S) A Pol-Brl; A Ber (S) A Bur-Mun; A Bur-Mun; A Swi (S) A Bur-Mun; A Kie-Brm; A Brm-Ruh; F Bel (H); F Hel-NtS; F Sto (H); F Rig (H).

IBE (Hoheisel) -- A Cas (U); A Gas (U); A Par (U); F Mar (U); F Svl(WC) (U); F Mid (U).

ITA (Lebling) -- F Cor-Sar.

RUS (Naus) -- F Bot (H).

TUR (D. Miller) -- A Per-Tur; A Cau (H); A Con (H); F Ion-Tun; F Tun-Alg; F Tyn (S)

ITA F Cor-Sar; F Can-Ion; F Gre (S) F Can-Ion.

UK (Schelz, eff. Su07) -- F WMe (U); F Sar (U) (Lyo, o.b.); F Brt (U); F Pic (U); F EnC (U); F Iri (U); F NtS (U); F Chr (U).

Deadline for SUM '07 retreats (A-H: A Brl, A Mun; UK: F Sar) -- Noon, Tues., 13 Aug.

GB-1966XF (Chalker Nine-Man Diplomacy) -- TELEPHONE STRIKE IN LONDON SNARLS UP ENGLISH MILITARY COMMUNICATIONS!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See DIPSONANIA #15/BARAD-DUR #44.

SPRING, 1910 moves --

ENG (Mebane) -- F Mor (U); F Por (U); F Mid (U); F Bel (U); F Lon (U); F NtS (U); F Spa (U); A Yor (U); A Ume (U); F Nwg (U).

FRA (D. Miller) -- A Sev-Cau; A Ukr-Sev.

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GB-1966XF (Continued) --

ITA (Gemignani; orders submitted by Stand-by player IAW General Orders on file with GM) -- F Spa(SC) (S) F Lyo; F Lyo (S) F Spa(SC); A Mar (S) F Spa(SC); A Pie (S) A Mar; A Ser (S) A Sel; A Sel (S) A Ser; F Adr (S) F Ion; F Nap (S) F Ion; F Tyn (S) F Ion; F Ion (H).

RUS (Brooks) -- A Mos-StP; A StP-Trd; A War-Mos; A Fin (S) A StP-Trd; A Ber-Mun; A Mun-Ruh; A Bur (S) A Bel-Hol (impossible); A Hol-Bel; A Gal-Boh; A Arm (S) A Per-Syr; A Per-Syr; A Rum (S) FRA A Ukr-Sev; A Bul (S) ITA A Sal; F Cas (S) A Arm; F Rig-Bal; F Kie (S) F Bal-Den; F Mal (S) F Bal-Den; F Bal-Den; F Sto (H).

TUR (Huff) -- F Cre-Ion; F Tun (S) F Cre-Ion; A Smy-Arm; A Ank (S) A Smy-Arm; F Bla-Sev(SC); F Con-Sal(SC); A Gre (S) F Con-Sal(SC).

Deadline for FALL, 1910 moves -- Noon, Mon., Aug. 19.

DDD (Twin-Earths Diplomacy) -- RETREATING ITALIAN FLEET LOST FOREVER AS IT GOES OFF COURSE SOMEWHERE IN TIME BETWEEN ALTERNATE WORLDS!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See DPSA #'s 1,8,10,14-16, SCHIZO #'s 2,3, & DPBA

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AUTUMN, 1906 retreats -- ITA (Hoheisel): NMR; GM (E) Retreating F LvpI; RUS (Boskey): (E) Retreating A TriI.

WINTER, 1906 builds/removals -- ENG (Schelz) -- (B) A EdIII; (B) A LonI; GER (Linden): (B) A BerI; ITA: NMR; Stands pat; RUS: (E) F BotI; TUR (Huff): (B) A ConI; (B) A ConII.

Positions at end of W'06 -- ENG: A's KieI, LonI, EdIII; F's LvpI, DenI, NtSI, StP(NC)II, DenII, BerII, HolII, BelII, BreII, WalII, ClyI (14); FRA (Gemignani): A's ParI, MunI, SpaI, BurII, ParII; F's EnCI, PieI, LyoII, MarII (9); GER: A's BerI, KieII, MunII (3); ITA: A's VenI, NapII, VenII, PieII; F's NapI, TynI, WMeI, BelI, TunII, LvpII (10 -- 1 short next year); RUS: A's UkrI, GalI, BudI, VieI, WarI, MosI, SevII, MosII, SweII, GalII; F's SweI, SkaI, NwyII (13 -- one too many; must remove one when SPRING '07 moves are submitted); TUR: A's SevI, RumI, BulI, SerI, TriI, ConII, BulII, RumII, BudII, TriII, VieII; F's GreI, BlaI, AlbI, AdrI, ArmII, BlaII, IonII; A ConI (19).

Deadline for Extra WINTER, 1906 removal (RUSSIA) and SPRING, 1907 moves -- Noon, Mon., August 19.

(Oops!) Propaganda -- London I & II -- Italy: You don't take hints, do you?

DHG (Microdiplomacy) -- AUSTRIA-HUNGARY, ENGLAND, ITALY KNOCKED OUT SIMULTANEOUSLY AS FRANCE, RUSSIA CONTINUE TO GROW APACE!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See DPSA #'s 1,8,10,14-16.

FALL, 1906 moves --

A-H (Open) -- C Boh (U).

ENG (Open) -- F Lvp (U) (D (Iri, NAT, o.b.)).

FRA (Clark) -- T Kie (H) (D (Hol, Hel, o.b.)); A Mun (S) T Kie; CC Ven (S) F Nap-Apu; C Ven (S) F Nap-Apu; CC Wal-Lvp; TT Edi (S) CC Wal-Lvp; F EnC-NtS; F NtS-Ska; T Lon (S) F EnC-NtS; C Bur (S) A Mun; CC Bur-Ruh; A Pie (S) A Ven; F Nap-Apu; T Tyn-Nap; TT Rom (S) T Tyn-Nap; T Ion-Apu; T WMe-Tyn; F Tun-Ion; C Naf-Tun.

ITA (Latimer) -- C Apu-Ven (A); C Tyo-Tri; C Vie-Tri (D (Tyo or o.b.)).

RUS (Prosnitz) -- CC Sil-Mun; A Sev (S) A Rum; A Rum (S) A Bud; CC Nwy (H); TT Bar-Nwg; T StP(NC) (S) CC Nwy; TT Bal-Kie; F Den (S) TT Bal-Kie; T Bal (S) F Den; C Ber (S) CC Sil-Mun; C Pru (S) C Ber; CC Gal-Vie; A Bud (S) CC Gal-Vie; C Ukr (S) A Rum.

TUR (Hoheisel) -- CC Tri-Ven; T Alb-Ion; A Bul-Rum; T Aeg-Ion; A Arm-Sev; F Adr (S) CC Tri-Ven; CC Gre-Ser; C Ser (S) A Bul-Rum; T Aeg (C) C Con-Gre; C Con-Gre.

Supply Centers held at end of AUT '06 (retreats do not affect count) --

A-H -- ~~Mun~~ (remove one Corps; OOG).

ENG -- ~~Lvp~~ (remove one Fleet; OOG).

FRA -- Bre, Par, Mar, Bel, Hol, ~~Kie~~, ~~Ber~~, Lon, Edi, Spa, Por, Nap, Ven, Tun, Lvp,

Rom, Mun (may build three A's and/or F's).

ITA -- ~~Rum~~, ~~Vie~~ (remove two Corps; OOG).

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DHG (Continued) --

RUS -- Mos, StP, Sev, War, Nwy, Swe, Den, Rum, Bud, Vie, Berm Kie (may build three A's and/or F's) (Oops! sorry about that -- may build only 2 A's and/or F's, as has only two home supply ctrs. open). (12)

TUR -- Ank, Con, Smy, Bul, Ser, Tri, Gre (may build one A or F, as was one unit short last year). (7)

Propaganda --

Constantinople -- Due to the recent death of the King this country has been in a state of mourning. However, all previous alliances still hold.

Deadline for AUT '06 retreats (ENG: F Lvp; FRA: T Kie; ITA: C Vie) and WINTER '06 builds/removals -- Noon, Tues., 13 Aug.

SBB (Hyperspace II, #1) -- RUSSIA TWO UNITS SHORT AS RUSSIAN PEASANTS REFUSE TO JOIN MILITARY SERVICE, CHOOSE TO STAY ON FARMS!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See SPCL #'s 10,13-15, CHAOS 1,2, & DPEA #25.

AUTUMN, 1903 retreat -- ITA (Schelz): (E) A Spa; TUR (Lebling): A Sev (R) Arm.

WINT '03 builds/removals -- A-H (Prosnitz): (B) A Vie; ENG (Tretick): (B) A Edi; (B) A Lvp; FRA (Gemignani): build made by stand-by player IAW General orders on file with GM: (B) A Par; ~~ITA/WAR/stands/pat~~; RUS (Birsan): NMR; stands pat; TUR (Lebling): (E) A Arm; (E) F Bla; GM (E) F Ion.

Positions at end of W'03 -- A-H: A's Gre, Ser, Bul, Rum, Bud, Tri, Vie (7); ENG: A's Mun, Pru, Edi, Lvp; F's Den, WMe, Spa(SC), Por (8); FRA: A's Par, Mar, Ber (3); GER (Bischoff): A's Kie, Bel, Hol (3); ITA: F's Tun, Tyn, Ven (3); RUS A's Lvn, Sev, Ank; F Ska (4 -- 2 units short next year); TUR: A Con; F Aeg (2); oops -- for ENG, add A Rom and change count to (9).

Hyperspace Linkages in effect at end of W'03 -- 20 & 39, 20 & 42, 21/34, 24/30, 26/28, 26/30, 29a,b/39, 30/71, 37/43, 37/50, 38/47, 53/58, 58/65, 58/66, 59a,b/64, 59a/66, 62/63.

Separations in effect at the end of W'03 -- 7/46, 18/59b, 19/53, 19/57, 19/59a, 28/29a,b, 30/32, 34/35, 38/39, 42/43, 43/44, 45/46, 49/50, 49/51, 59a,b/62, 66/71.

Deadline for SPRING, 1904 moves -- Noon, Mon., Aug. 19.

SEE (Anarchy III) -- ARMORIES AND SHIPYARDS BUSY AS EUROPEAN ARMS RACE PROCEEDS AT RECORD PACE! ATTEMPTS AT ALLIANCES FAIL!

The Players, Rules & Board -- BEL/GRE and TUN/WAR are in need of a replacement player (each); if interested, contact GM NLT Aug. 19 (send SPRING moves). BUL/LVP will also be declared open unless Linn Haramis gets his moves in by Aug. 19.

AUTUMN, 1902 retreats -- MUN/POR (Gemignani): AA Mun (R) Ruh; AA Soa (R) Gas; NAP/STP (Harrison): AA Nwy Fight to death (i.e., AA Nwy (E)).

WINTER, 1902 builds/removals -- ANK/BUD (Alderson): (B) AAA Bud; BEL/GRE (Open): NMR; stands pat; DEN/MAR (Hill): (B) FFF Mar; HOL/RUM (Maier): (B) F Hol; (B) FF Kie; MUN/POR: NMR; GM (E) AA Ruh, AAA Tyo, A Gas; PAR/SEV (Nurse): (B) AA Par; (B) A Mun; SER/SPA (Brannan): (B) AAA Rum; BUL/LVP (Haramis?): NMR; stands oat.

Positions at end of W'02 -- ANK/BUD: AAA Bud, AAA Tri, AA Ser, A Alb, FFF Bla (12); BEL/GRE: AA Bel, FF Wal (4 -- 2 short next year); BER/SMY (Pournelle): AAF Ber, F Aeg, AF Con, FFF Ion (9); BRE/TRI (Tretick): AFF Ven, A Bre, FF Nat (6); BUL/LVP (Haramis): F Gre; AA Lvp, F Cly (4 -- 2 units short next year); DEN/MAR: AAF Spa(SC), FFF Mar, FFF Bal (9); EDI/MOS (Schelz): AAA Mos, AFF Edi (6); HOL/RUM: FFF Hol, FFF Kie (6); KIE/ROM (Ogle): None; OOG; LON/VIE (Kanner): AAA Vie (3); MUN/POR: A Gas, F Mid, F Por (3); NAP/STP: FF Nap, F Rom, A StP, AA Tus, FF Lyo, A Fin (9); NWY/VEN (Buchman): FFF Nwy, FFF Swe (6); PAR/SEV: AAA Mun, AAA Par, AAA Sev (9); SER/SPA: AAA Rum, A Bul; F WMe, A Ukr (6); TUN/WAR (Open): A Tun, FF Adr, AAA Lvn (6).

(Oops!) Additional WINTER, 1908 build overlooked above -- NWY/STP: (B) FF Nap.

Propaganda --

MUN/POR -- MUN/POR allies with NAP/STP (and BER/SMY, providing he behaves).

NWY/VEN -- NWY/VEN allies with DEN/MAR.

Number Seven -- "Vootie!"

SEE (Continued) --

Number Eight -- "As Spain goes, so goes the nation."

The Village -- Number One: "You are Number Six." #### Number Six: "I am not a number! I am a free man!"

NSG -- In reply to a query from reported Clark Kent of the Tujunga, California IRREGULARLY-ISSUED IDIOT, Number One declared that SIC does not stand for Sinister International Conspiracy. "That's two other groups in two other worlds", he remarked, as always, via teletype. When asked about the proposed division of Europe, Number One would only say that he had always felt an identification with the Hapsburgs, Number Two with the Romanoffs, and Number Three with the Ottomans.

ASDP Secondary Headquarters, Disneyland, Calif. -- Hi ho, hi ho, we'll defeat WASP, you know!

GM Note -- All Alliances attempted this WINTER failed because the other party did not send in similar statements. To be effective, remember, both parties must send in similar orders during the same WINTER season. The only Alliances in effect at the end of WINT.'02 are the same ones in effect at the end of W'01 -- i.e., TUN/WAR and NAP/STP; ANK/BUD and BER/SMY (the MUN/POR & KIE/ROM Alliance died with KIE/ROM).

Deadline for SPRING, 1903 moves -- Noon, Mon., Aug. 19.

SCC (The Foundation Game) -- FIRST EMPIRE'S POWER DIMINISHES AS HIS RECRUITING DIFFICULTIES INCREASE!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See SPCL #'s 10,11,13; ASTRA #5; DPBA #28; & DPMA 16/17.

WINTER, 8003 builds/removals -- FIRST EMPIRE (Lebling): NMR; stands pat; UNION OF WORLDS (Brooks): (E) F47; (E) F49; (E) F29; ASSOCIATION OF INDEPENDENT TRADERS (Gemignani): (B) F50; FIRST FOUNDATION (Schelz): (B) F55.

Positions at end of W'03 -- FEMP: FFFF 13, F 15, FF 17, F 23, FFFFFF 25 (14 -- 8 F's short next year); EMPIRE COLONIES (Harrison): FF 9, F 16, F 18, FFF 19, F 21, F 24, F 27, F 22 (11); UoW: FFFFFFFF 26, FFFFF 29, F 31, F 32, F 48 (15); AIT: F 36, F 39, FF 40, F 44, FF 46, FFFFFF 50, F 53 (14); FIRF: F 52, F 54, FF 55, F 58, F 59, FFFF 60 (10 -- has one too many, so must submit removal order for one unit along with SPRING, 8004 moves; see GM Note, below).

GM Note -- We should have asked for a removal order from FIRST FOUNDATION along with his mandatory build in 55. What happened here was that he lost a full-capacity 2-unit supply center, and captured 55, which as of time of capture had not yet built up to its full supply capacity (at that time having a capacity of only one). Since he had nine units on the board, but only a capacity of eight (counting 55 as one), this meant he either had to remove one and take his mandatory build in 55, or refuse the mandatory build -- in which event he would still have to remove one, because he then could only support eight units. O.k.? (Al, how complex these simple, short SCC rules really are!!)

Propaganda --

Outlaw World -- John John Topjob, rumored to be the illegitimate son of the Mule, arranged a meeting with Elric of Mel(?)bane, his reputed father's first Lieutenant, on a matter of great urgency. (Rest is illegible.)

NSG -- To Whom it may concern: My hostile actions towards both of you will immediately cease.

Hyperspace Linkages in effect at end of W'03 -- 14 to 21, 14 to 22, 23 to 17, 23 to 21, 40 to 36, 46 to 36, 47 to 38, 48 to 38, 54 to 53, 57 to 53.

Deadline for SPRING, 8004 moves -- Noon, Mon., Aug. 19.

FAA (Middle-Earth Diplomacy II) -- RETREATING ANORIEN ARMIES SLAUGHTERED BY ORCS! NO SURVIVORS!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See FANTASIA #'s 1 and 7.

LAIRE, 3009 retreats -- ARNOR (Hoheisel): NMR; GM (E) Retreating A's Car, Impl.

Deadline for QUELLE, 3009 moves -- Noon, Tues., Aug. 13.

FBB (Mythomacy II) -- POWERS PREPARE TO RETURN TO WAR AS SUMMER RECESS DRAWS TO A CLOSE!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See FANTASIA #'s 1,3,9,11,15,17,21.

SUMMER, 1907 retreat -- LEMURIA (Huff): Fe (R) j.

Deadline for FALL, 1907 moves -- Noon, Tues., Aug. 13.

FEC (Mordor Versus the World I, #3) -- ANARCHY AGAIN OVERTAKES RHOVANION/ROHAN!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See FANTASIA #'s 1,3,9,11,15,17,21. Replacement player wanted for remainder of ROHAN/RHOVANION; let GM know NLT Aug. 13 if interested (include LAIRE retreat for ROHAN).

TUILLE, 3007 moves --

ARNOR (Boskey) -- SA Dun-Ere; SA Tha (S) SA Dun-Ere; SA Iml (S) SA Dun-Ere; SA Mis (S) SA Dun-Ere; SA Fan (S) SA Dun-Ere; SA Lor (S) SA Dun-Ere; SA Gla-DoG; DA NoW (S) SA Gla-DoG; SA Esg-Mir; SA Amo-Bra.

GONDOR (Huff) -- SA DoA-Lam; SA Mit (S) DA Hon; SA Por (S) DA Hen; SA Leb-Tol; SA Lam-Edo; SA Ano (S) DA Hen; SA WEm (S) SA Rau; SA Isg (H); SA Rau (S) DA Hen; SA MIM (S) SA Bar-Udu; SA Bar-Udu; DA Hen (S) SA Bar-Udu.

MORDOR (Gemignani; moves made by Stand-by player IAW General Orders on file with GM) -- DA DoG (H) (D (Wil, Bro, o.b.)); DA Dea (S) TA Udu; TA Udu (S) DA Dea.

ROHAN (Open) -- SA Ene (U); DA Ere (U) (D (Mor or o.b.)).

RHOVANION (Open) -- DA Cel (U).

Special COIRE, 3006 removal -- ARNOR: (E) SA ThS.

Deadline for LAIRE, 3007 retreats (MOR: DA DoG; ROH: DA Ere) -- Noon, Tues., August 13.

FJF (Middle-Earth Diplomacy IV, #1) -- RHOVANION WINS AS TROOPS OF MORDOR, HARAD REBEL AND REFUSE TO FIGHT!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See FANTASIA #'s 3,6,10,15,21, & DPBA #28.

TUILLE, TA 1907 moves --

ARNOR (Gemignani; moves made by Stand-by player IAW G.O.'s on file with GM) -- A The Shire-Arthedain; A Weather Hills-Arthedain.

GONDOR (Schelz) -- A Bel (S) MOR A Leb.

HARAD (Bischoff) -- A Tol (U); F BoB (U); A Far (U).

MORDOR (Mebane) -- A Har (U); A Nea (U); A Kha (U); A Eph (U); A Udu (U); A Ith (U); A Leb (U); A Ano (U); A Gor (U).

RHOVANION (Huff) -- A Frd-Art; A Crd (S) A Frd-Art; A Rhd (S) A Crd; A Ett-Wea; A Lor-Fan; A Gla-Lor; A Ere-Min; A Gun-Frd; A CaD (H); A Crk (H); A Esg (H); A Wil (H); A Mir (H); A Iml (H).

GM Note -- The victory criterion for M-E IV is 15 units on the board at the end of COIRE season. However, there is no possible way Huff could not win by meeting this criterion, as, on request of the GM, he has submitted his QUELLE and COIRE orders -- which enable him to meet the 15-unit requirement no matter what his opponents do. To elaborate a bit -- The positions at the end of TUILLE are such that only ARNOR could possibly have stopped Huff (ARNOR or a failure or inability to build on the part of RHOVANION); Huff's QUELLE moves were such that they would have blocked any possibility of Margaret's retaking a supply center (and, at the same time, he opened two of his supply centers for possible builds); his COIRE build consisted of an order to build in one of his vacated centers (Mirkwood). So Huff, as RHOVANION, has his first Postal win! ##### Mebane's orders, which arrived today (one day after the deadline), would not have altered the outcome, in case you are wondering....

FKF (Middle-Earth Diplomacy IV, #2) -- RHOVANION LOSES GROUND AS ELVES REFUSE TO FIGHT! HARAD IN ANARCHY?

The Players, Rules & Board -- See FANT #'s 3,6, & DPBA #28. Rod Walker (HARAD),

FKF (Continued) --

are you still playing? If so, please let GM know NLT Aug. 13; replacement player interested in taking over HARAD please contact GM NLT Aug. 13, just in case....

TUILLE, TA 1907 moves --

ANGMAR (Linden) -- A Rhd (S) ARN A Min-Ere; A Ett (S) ARN A Art-Frd.

ARNOR (Carey) -- A Art-Frd; A Wea (S) A Art-Frd; A Min-Ere; A Crd (S) A Min-Ere.

GONDOR (Gemignani) -- A Bel (U).

HARAD (WALKER??) -- A Kha (U); A Eph (U); A Leb (U); A Cel (U); A Dag (U); F Ene (U).

MORDOR (Huff) -- A Bar-Dag; A Udu-Emy; A Ith (S) A Udu-Emy; A Gor-Bar.

RHOVANION (Hoheisel) -- A Wil (U); A Mir (U); A Esg (U); A Frd (U) (D (GrM, CaD, o.b.)); A Gun (U); A Iml (U); A Ere (U) (D (Gla, Ene, o.b.)); A Fan (U); A Emy (U) (D (DoG, o.b.))

Propaganda --

Rhudaaur -- I, Talamir, rightful Prince of Rhudaaur, hereby claim as my own all lands and territories formerly governed (after a fashion) by the drunken, cowardly, brutish, and short Nazgul. Someday I'll get you, Black Captain! ##### The Nine Rings shall henceforth join the One to break the power of the evil Three, until peace is restored to the Westlands.

Deadline for LAIRE, TA 1907 retreats (RHO: A's Frd, Ere, Emy) -- Noon, Tues., 13 Aug.

FHD (Indianomacy II, #1) -- SHOSHONI MOVE TOWARDS THE APACHE! IROQUOIS ENTER ILLINOIS TERRITORY! WAR GROWS MORE INTENSE!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See FANTASIA #'s 2,3,6,9,15, & HYSTERIA #2.

SPRING, 1607 moves --

APACHE (Lebling) -- W 96-87; W 87-84; W 97-83; W 99-82; W 106 (S) W 110; W 111 (S) W 110; W 110 (S) W 109-75; W 109-75; W 108-109; W 81-76; W 80 (S) W 81-76; W 74 (S) W 109-75; W 71-67.

ILLINOIS (Gemignani; moves by Stand-by player IAW General Orders on file with GM) -- W76-74 (D(73, 77, or o.b.)); W 73-71; W 70-69; W 50-54; W 54-53.

IROQUOIS (D.Miller) -- W 3-18; W 21 (H); W 22-23; W 23-52; W 24-50; W 52-51; W 58-69; W/c e-57; W 14-59; W/c 62 (H).

MUSKHOGEAN (Huff) -- W 112 (H); W 113 (S) W 112; W 114 (S) W 75; W 75 (H); W 63-66.

SHOSHONI (Carey) -- W 47-86; W 88 (S) W 47-86; W 44-46; W 31-47; W 37 builds canoes; W 49 (S) W 29; W 29 (S) W 49; W 25 (S) W 29; W 26 (S) W 25; W 27-28.

Propaganda --

Taos -- Jade Axe, great medicine chief of the Taos, head of the Western councils, and high son of the great Red Pima, came with word of the Ongwanosionni boasts. "They have called us white mens' slaves, and the spirit which they call Kill-a-Lot says we drink fire-water before we go into battle. Thus they profane our name among our brothers in the east. Thus they smear foulness upon our people. They are all so. They all are like unto the jackal, the coyote, and the snake who crawls on its belly." ##### Jade Axe drew his throwing stick from his belt. He threw it at a dog skull on the wall of the tent, and the skull shattered into thousands of fragments. The stick was imbedded in the pest. Slowly he advanced to the wall and removed the stick. ##### "Thus shall we answer the old women of the east."

Remaining Propaganda ("Shawnee Country", "Madrid", "Broken Land") postponed to DPBA #32.

Deadline for SUM '07 retreat (ILL: W76) -- Noon, Tues., 13 Aug.

FIE (Game of the Clans) -- CLANS FRASER AND KEITH STAY TOO LONG AT HIGHLAND GAMES, MISS WAR! ENGLISH OVERSLEEP, ALSO MISS WAR!

The Players, Rules & Board -- See FANTASIA #'s 3-6,11, & 15.

SPRING, 1496 moves --

FRASER (Gemignani): A27 (U); A26 (U); A33 (U); A24(U); A16 (U); A23 (U); A41 (U).

KEITHS (Hoheisel): A's 2,3,17,18,19,22,21,35,36 (U); A/BB's 5,20 (U).

MACLEOD (McIntyre): A/BB o-29; A30 (S) A/BB o-29; A/BB n (S) A46; A46 (H); A15-14; A43 (S) A31-32; A31-32; A44 (S) A43; A11 (H); A/BB7-s; A6 (U); A9 (U).

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